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Comment Of The Day

Our "Board"

HONGKONG abounds with the names of local firms which possess a board of directors either locally domiciled or resident abroad but well familiar and closely experienced with Far East conditions. It is easy to name 100 which fall into this category. The development of communications has, of course, virtually eliminated the disadvantage which home-controlled firms undoubtedly suffered at one time. But there is still much to be said for maximum local control. And this entails a ready understanding, a harmony of purpose and mutual confidence between the local management and the overseas board. Principals abroad cannot adequately keep in touch by making short business visits.

Standing Committees

IF this is true in the field of commerce and industry, it is also true of government. For the Hongkong Government is much the same as the local firm with a board of directors in London which with their manifold responsibilities cannot be as closely concerned with our problems as we would like them to be. And while local government works admirably by having most of its decisions curiously rubber-stamped by officialdom at home, we in Hongkong would appreciate closer ties with our "board of directors" particularly as we intend that this association should continue.

We have recently been visited by five members of Parliament. Their short stay here has benefited both us and them but what we need is not the casual visit but sustained interest. It is hard asking members with constituency interests to take on new responsibilities but what would be helpful would be standing all-party committees in Parliament which could adopt Hongkong and the other colonies as an additional special interest. They would keep colony problems permanently under review, receive representations from various local interests, visit their "wards" regularly or delegate other members to do so. The wealthier colonies—this includes Hongkong—could pay for the visits.

Parliament's Job

THERE are enough MPs to handle the work. Probably no more than 20 colonial committees are needed. If each is composed of five members it will require less than a sixth of the total of 630 members for this special duty. This committee could change composition every two years. This would spread any burden entailed and widen the interest.

Is this not the British Government's job? We say No. Parliament is after all supreme. And Parliament's interest in and concern for the Colonies has been expressed in many admirable ways. Its right to inquire into our affairs and to prove our conduct is not denied. Its ability to legislate for our well-being, protection and development—these are all powers which Parliament in its wisdom exercises. We only ask that they make a more practical demonstration of their interest in affairs for which they alone are fully responsible.

ESCAPE FROM TRAINING CENTRE

Man Dies From Severe Head Injuries

A member of the staff of the Cape Collinson Training Centre died this morning soon after he was found in a ditch near the Centre with severe head injuries.

Shortly before, the alarm went out for four inmates who escaped from the centre.

They were all aged about 18.

So far the authorities have not revealed the name of the training "leader" or the names of the youths.

Still At Large

The escape was first reported to Administrator of the Camp at 5.27 this morning.

The trainees were still at large at the time of going to press and Police inquiries are continuing.

A Government spokesman told the China Mail this morning that a "leader" is a member of the staff of the training centre. The centre itself, though administered by the Prisons Department is not a prison. The equivalent rank of a "leader" in a prison would be a warder. The training centre is an institute to which wayward youths are sent for correction and rehabilitation.

WHAT THE PRESIDENT HEARD AT CHURCH

Washington, Nov. 16. President and Mrs. Eisenhower went to church this morning and heard a sermon praising a Southern school for refusing to be "bought" into teaching the doctrine of white supremacy.

The Rev. Edward L. R. Elson, the President's Minister at the National Presbyterian Church here, said a Jefferson Military College in Mississippi had rejected an offer of \$50,000 several years ago, rather than teach such a doctrine.

Elson's sermon, on the subject of money, emphasized that it can be "a tremendous power for good" as well as for evil. "Money can buy honour but it cannot buy honour," he said. "It can buy pleasure... but it cannot buy the deeper thing called happiness."—U.P.I.

Malenkov's 'Death' Unconfirmed

London, Nov. 16. A Foreign Office spokesman said tonight the British Government knew nothing to confirm a New York newspaper story that the former Soviet Premier, Georgi Malenkov, had been shot to death in Russia. "We have no information that would confirm this story," the spokesman said.

The New York News had quoted "Whitehall sources" as the basis for its report.—U.P.I.

Army Rocket May Hit Moon

Washington, Nov. 16. An U.S. Army General said today the rocket the Army is expected to send to the moon next month might score a direct hit.

Lieut. General Arthur Trudeau said in a television interview that it was reasonable to expect the Army to shoot for the moon next month. Three Air Force moon rockets have failed. The Army rocket had a 60 per cent chance of reaching the vicinity of the moon, General Trudeau said. He added "It is entirely possible that our missile might plough into the moon."

The purpose of the shot would be to study the gravitational effects of the earth, moon and sun, as well as magnetic fields and intensity of radiation, he said. General Trudeau gave no possible date for the first Army moonshot, but there have been reports that the attempt will be made about December 8.—Reuter.

YUL BRYNNER TO TAKE TYRONE POWER'S LEAD

Hollywood, Nov. 16. Yul Brynner agreed today to take over the lead in "Solomon and Sheba" the \$6 million film halted by the death of handsome Tyrone Power in Spain.

A spokesman for the actor said Brynner expected to leave for Spain next week after finishing final scenes in "The Sound and the Fury," a 20th Century Fox film.

Edward Small, head of the production company making the film, said director King Vidor would begin production immediately, shooting around Brynner.



YUL BRYNNER

The film was about 60 per cent complete when Power was stricken with a heart attack after a vigorous duelling scene with George Sanders. Small conferred with Vidor in Madrid by telephone. He said the director expected that all scenes in which Power appeared would have to be re-filmed.

What that would mean in re-shooting the picture and the added cost was not known immediately.

Small said a shooting schedule was being re-arranged and that co-stars of the film, Gina Lollobrigida and Sanders, had been notified.

Meanwhile, at Torrejon Air Force Base in Spain, the U.S. Air Force paid tribute to Tyrone Power today at a simple service attended by his widow and U.S. officials.

The body of the 44-year-old Hollywood star is to be flown from Torrejon, outside Madrid, to the United States for burial in California. Mrs. Power is to accompany the body.

Almost 1,000 telegrams of condolence poured in to the movie lot during the night.—U.P.I.

PEOPLE GOING TO FUNERAL KILLED

St. John, Mich., Nov. 16. A car, said by police to have been speeding at 105 miles an hour on its way to a funeral, crashed here today, killing six of the seven members of a family in it.—Reuter.

Atomic Watch

Washington, Nov. 17. Dr. Willard F. Libby, scientist member of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, appeared on a TV programme yesterday wearing a new kind of wrist watch.

He said it was powered by a radioactive isotope (by-product) which made it unnecessary to "shake or wind."—U.P.I.

Withdrawn From Martial Law Duties

Karachi, Nov. 16. President Mohammed Ayub Khan announced tonight that all troops will be withdrawn from martial law duties and that all standing military courts will be dissolved immediately.

He added that the military courts would be convened again if a situation arose which could not be dealt with effectively by the civil courts.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

ALL OUT

Sydney, Nov. 17. The MCC, 127 for seven at lunch, were all out for 177 after the resumption of play in reply to New South Wales first innings total of 391.

The tourists, 214 behind, were made to follow on and are at present 19 without loss.

Demand took five wickets for 48.—Reuter.

'Don't Vote' Leaflets At Hungary Elections

Budapest, Nov. 16. Moscow Radio said today that leaflets urging voters to abstain from taking part in today's Hungarian election and threatening reprisals against those going to the polls were distributed in parts of the country.

The dispatch said this "provocation" had no effect and heavy polling reaching over 90 per cent before noon was registered in places.

The Hungarian general elections ended tonight with "overwhelming victory" for the Communist regime.

Western political observers here had predicted that the single Communist list put forward in the name of the Patriotic People's Front could score a victory similar to the regime of Communist Premier Matyas Rakosi, which got 98 per cent of all eligible votes at the last Hungarian parliamentary elections in 1953.

More than 6,500,000 Hungarians voted to the polls today, to elect a new 398-member parliament and some 107,000 municipal councils.—U.P.I. & Reuter.

WITHDRAWAL OF OBSERVERS

Beirut, Nov. 16. The United Nations Observer team in Lebanon stated today that there appeared to be no further justification for its presence in the country. The statement was contained in its fifth and probably last report to UN Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjöld.

Meanwhile, a Lebanese source continued that 200 observers would have left the country before the end of November and that the remaining 383 would leave before the end of 1958.—France Press.

MCC Batsmen's Shock Collapse

Sydney, Nov. 17. Disaster struck the MCC this morning when NSW bowlers took five English wickets for 65 runs. The lunch score was 127 for seven and a follow-on was inevitable for the MCC.

A full report of today's match appears on page 6.

TENSION MOUNTS IN NICOSIA

New Security Measures For British Civilians

Nicosia, Nov. 16. A bomb explosion in a Nicosia suburb heightened tension throughout the Cyprus capital tonight as residents waited anxiously for tomorrow's first test of new security measures designed to protect British civilians.

First reports said the blast apparently involved the bombing of a military vehicle but that there were no injuries or damage.

The curfew on Greek-Cypriot youths will be eased tomorrow for the first time since the terrorist murder nine days ago of bank official Tony Benson.

Under the new plan Greek-Cypriot youths must get to their schools or jobs before 7.30 a.m. and remain indoors until 2.30 p.m.

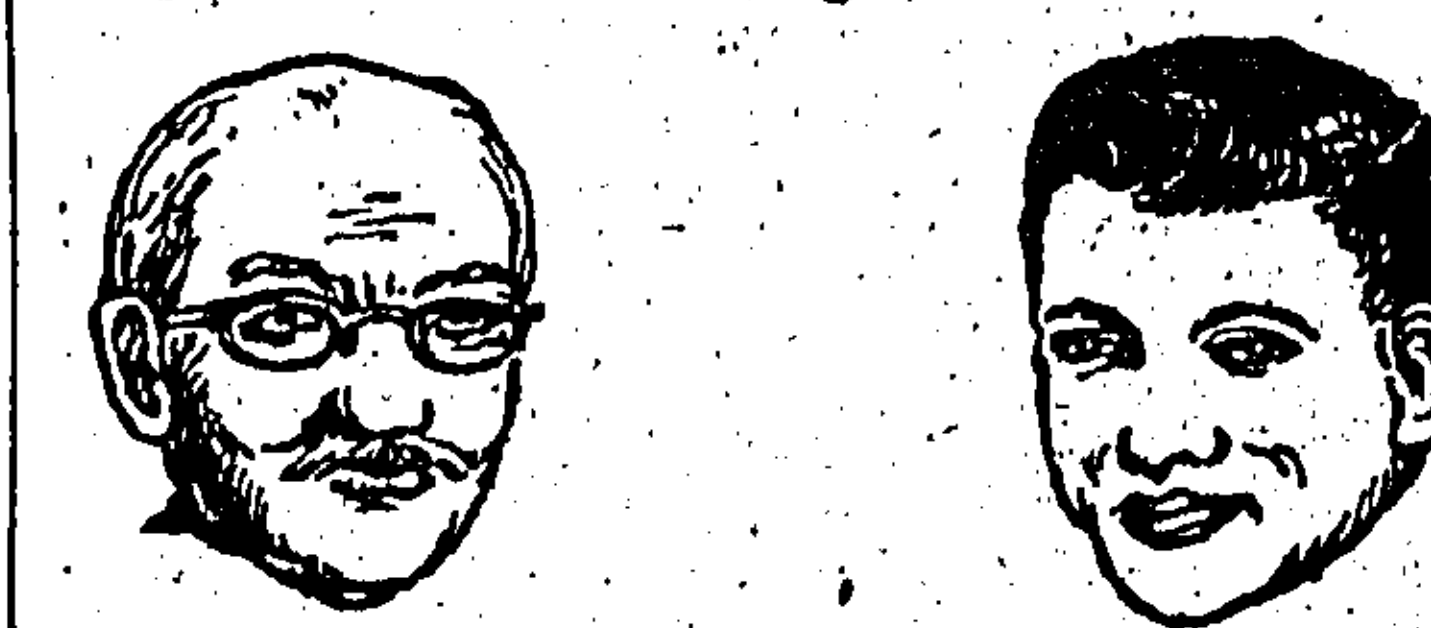
British Government and public utility workers who will start working tomorrow from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. under the new security hours will thus be able to travel to and from work at times when youths must be off the streets.

Meanwhile Gov. Sir Hugh Foot told a Greek-Cypriot delegation of trade union representatives that the Government would not consider letting some 4,000 Greek Cypriot employees of RAF and Naafi installations return to their jobs.

The employees were fired last week after a time-bomb was planted in a canteen filled with singing RAF men. Two persons were killed and several wounded.

Foot told the delegation the employees would not be called back as long as the threat of violence hung over British civilians and Government installations.—U.P.I. and Reuter.

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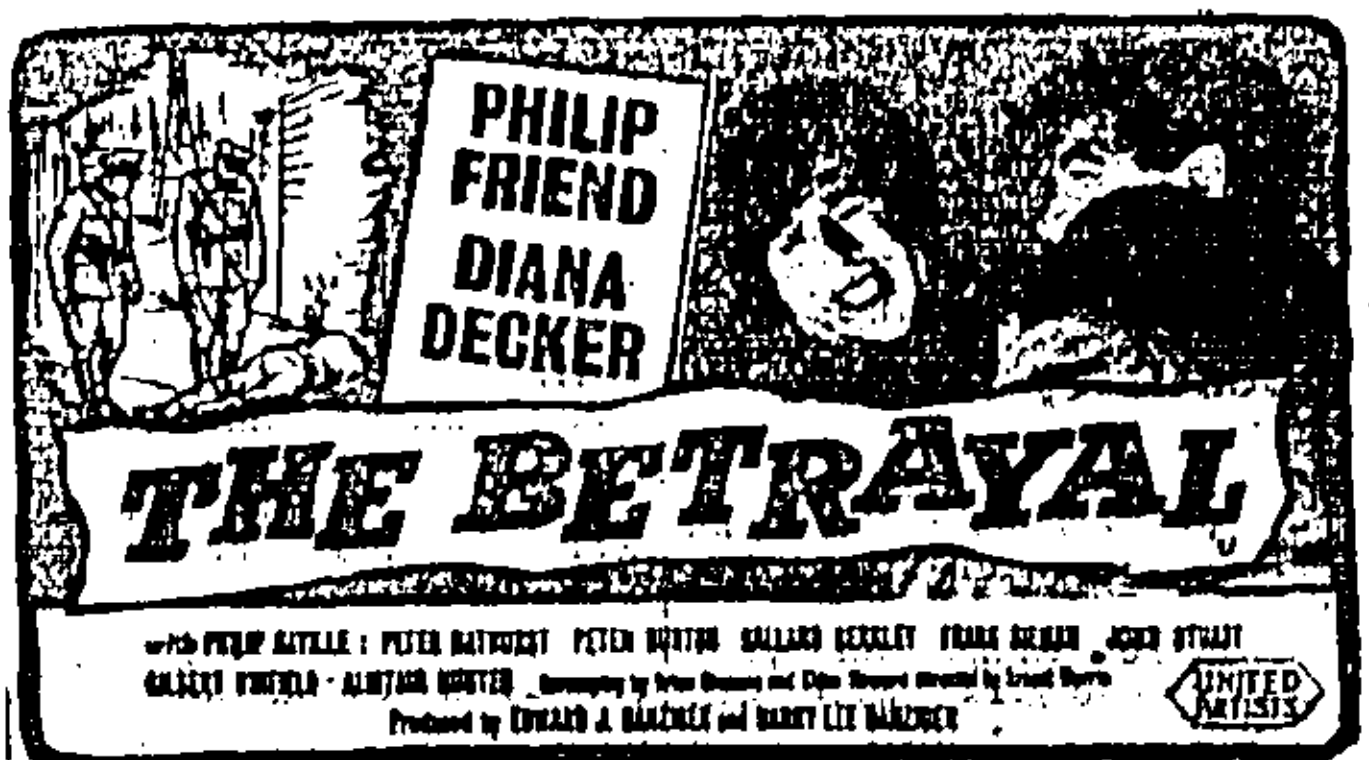
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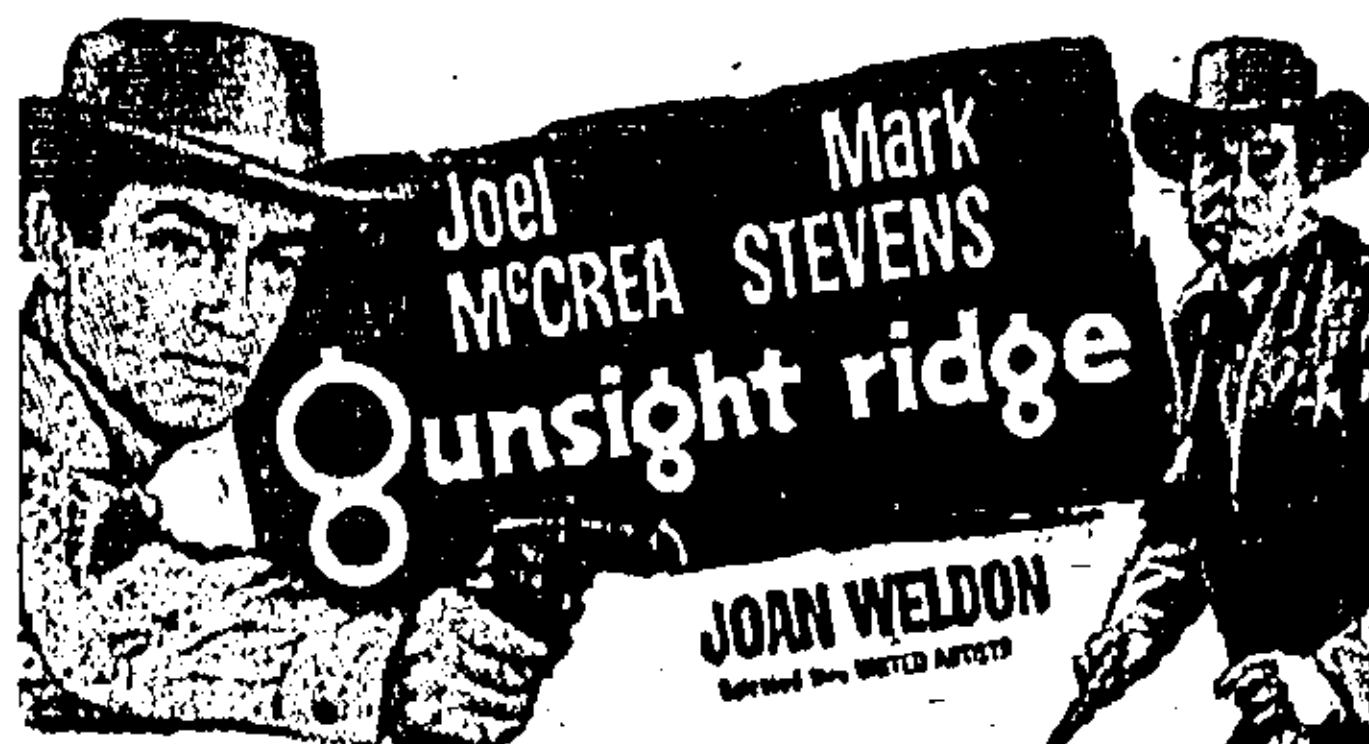
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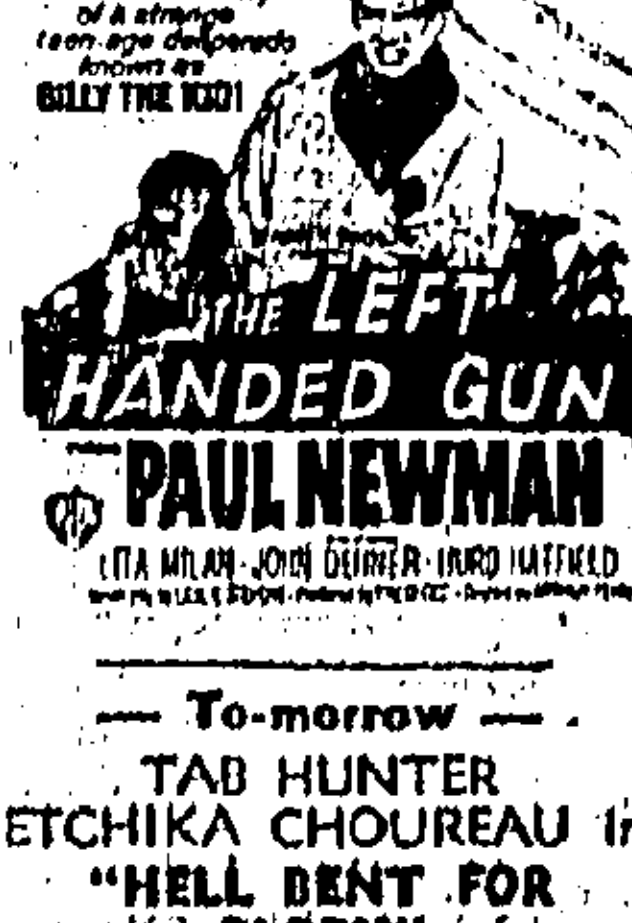
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EARTH COULD "INFECT" THE STARS WITH LIFE

British Scientist Fears That Science May Kill The Hope It Fosters

London, Nov. 16.

Britain's top astronomer said today that man's search for life on other planets might endanger a solution to the problem by hampering the development of organisms elsewhere in the solar system.

Professor A. C. B. Lovell, Director of the Jodrell Bank Radio Telescope, said in a broadcast, "Man is moving headlong toward discovering if there is life elsewhere in the solar system—but is also in danger of spoiling his chances of ever finding out."

Mr. Lovell said, "The basic problem in the origin of life concerned the formation of complex molecules, sampling moon dust and planetary atmospheres and surfaces might give vital information on pre-life processes in the primordial material of the solar system."

"If the probing is carried out recklessly or with insufficient skill and preparation, then the extra terrestrial bodies will be contaminated with macromolecules which have developed on earth."

He added, "The solution of the problem of extra-terrestrial life would then be forever in jeopardy and man might unwittingly assume the responsibility of prejudicing the development of organisms elsewhere in the solar system."—France-Press.

Insects May Be The First Space Travellers

Washington Nov. 16. Insects sent into the stratosphere may help Agriculture Department scientists answer some of the riddles of space flight.

Agricultural Research Service scientists are making studies of insects which survived three trips via balloons into the stratosphere last summer. The flights reached 15, 18½, and 24½ miles.

Insects used in the flights included the house fly, flea, honey bee, eastern tent caterpillar, wax moth, fruit fly, yellow fever mosquito, and spores of the milky disease of Japanese beetles.

The scientists said insects can stand tremendous decomposition and that their chances for survival at extreme altitudes are far greater than those of higher animals. As most species of insects produce several generations each year, the effect of space travel on genetics—the ability to reproduce normal insects or mutations—can be determined.

Among the hazards of space travel are cosmic rays, and ultraviolet radiation. In addition to very low air temperatures and pressure. Insects returning from the balloon flights are being tested for mortality, sterility, and genetic mutations by a department biologist.—U.P.I.

Doctor Wins Prize For Wire Tapping

London, Nov. 16.

Dr. Michael Ball, a 26-year-old Royal Air Force medical officer, has invented a tiny telephone-tapping device which broadcasts conversations like a radio station.

The electronic device, small enough to be mistaken for an ordinary telephone junction box, cost him only 30/- to make. It has won him a silver cup at a doctors' hobbies exhibition here.

Dr. Ball told reporters: "My device takes such a minute amount of power from the wires that the loss could be detected to damp wires. It would be impossible to detect. I don't mind telling the post office or M.I.6 (the secret service) how I made it—but I won't tell any Tom, Dick or Harry."—China Mail Special.

The Duke Of Gloucester In Ethiopia

Addis Ababa, Nov. 16.

The Duke of Gloucester took hands with a crippled Ethiopian veteran of the First World War when he visited the British military cemetery here today.

The Ethiopian, 64-year-old Desta Birru, who lost a leg while fighting with the King's African Rifles in Tanganyika, propped himself up with his crutch as the Duke greeted him.

He wore a row of British medals, ribbons pinned to a tattered British Army uniform.

"The Duke, who was on the third day of his visit to Ethiopia, laid a wreath in the cemetery where British, Rhodesians, South Africans, and Aussies who died in driving the Italians from Ethiopia in 1941-42 are buried side by side.—Reuter.

Finance Minister Gets Home

Ottawa, Nov. 16.

Finance Minister Donald Fleming returned today from a seven-week 7,000-mile tour of the Far East.

Fleming expressed greatest satisfaction with his Far Eastern tour in the course on which he participated in the annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund in Delhi, and held talks and met with government leaders in Bangkok, Malaya, Ceylon, Singapore, Thailand, Hong Kong and Japan.

'Unsinkable' Bismark Was Scuttled

London, Nov. 16.

The German battleship "Bismark," contrary to popular belief, was scuttled by her own crew and was not sunk by torpedoes fired by the British destroyers.

This fact was deliberately concealed by the Germans and it was not until after the war that British intelligence officers discovered that the battleship was virtually unsinkable.

The full story of the "Bismark's" sortie into the Atlantic, the sinking of the "Hood" and her last hopeless battle against overwhelming forces is told by the German author, Will Berthold. The "Bismark" had special chrome-nickel armour plating which successfully resisted shells, mines and torpedoes.

The German battleship slipped out into the Atlantic and was met by the "Hood" and the "Prince of Wales." The first was sunk and the "Prince of Wales" forced to withdraw.

Shadowed by ships and planes, the "Bismark" was attacked by torpedoes and one of these put her steering gear out of action.

Unable to manoeuvre, the crippled giant shot away the last of her ammunition and was then subjected to systematic destruction by guns and torpedoes.

To prevent the British forces boarding and capturing her, orders were given that she should be scuttled. She went to the bottom but the surviving Germans led the Navy to believe that she had been sunk by torpedoes in order to preserve the secret of her armour. The book "The Sinking Of The Bismark" is published by Longmans (16/-).—China Mail Special.

Young Killers Condemned In Moscow

Moscow, Nov. 16.

A Moscow court has sentenced a Russian to death by shooting and another to a 20-year prison term for killing a young student in a widely-publicised case of "hooliganism."

The trial took place in a court room jammed with spectators who heard the two prisoners describe how they turned into hooligans during their school days.

The pair, were convicted of killing Otto Grossman, 20, a military school student and Komosomol member.

Officials said the two young men had been drinking and began annoying a girl on a bus. Grossman and colleagues tried to intervene and Grossman was slapped several times.

The incident aroused public indignation after the Komosomol newspaper printed a letter from a group of doctors, who had tried to save Grossman's life, demanding the harshest punishment for the criminals.—U.P.I.

Cash Career

Osaka, Japan, Nov. 16.

Police watched in amazement when a young thief disgorged from his stomach one 50 Yen coin, 40 ten Yen pieces and six one Yen coins he had stolen from a shrine collection box.

A theatrical agent immediately offered him a job.—U.P.I.

Scottish Sword At School

Dunfermline, Nov. 16.

The Earl of Elgin, descendant of King Robert the Bruce, held aloft the great sword of the Scottish King when opening a secondary school at Dunfermline.

He said "We are living in an era of great discovery, and great possibilities for good or bad and there is urgent need for better understanding between man and man. It is here that personal service comes in and that tradition can help."

"Today I have brought with me a historic emblem of such value in the sword of King Robert the Bruce and with that motive I declare Queen Anne School open."—China Mail Special.

570,000 Jews Remembered In Germany

Bonn, Nov. 16.

West Germany today celebrated Remembrance Day with services in churches and cemeteries, and with other public meetings honouring the dead of two World Wars and the victims of Nazism.

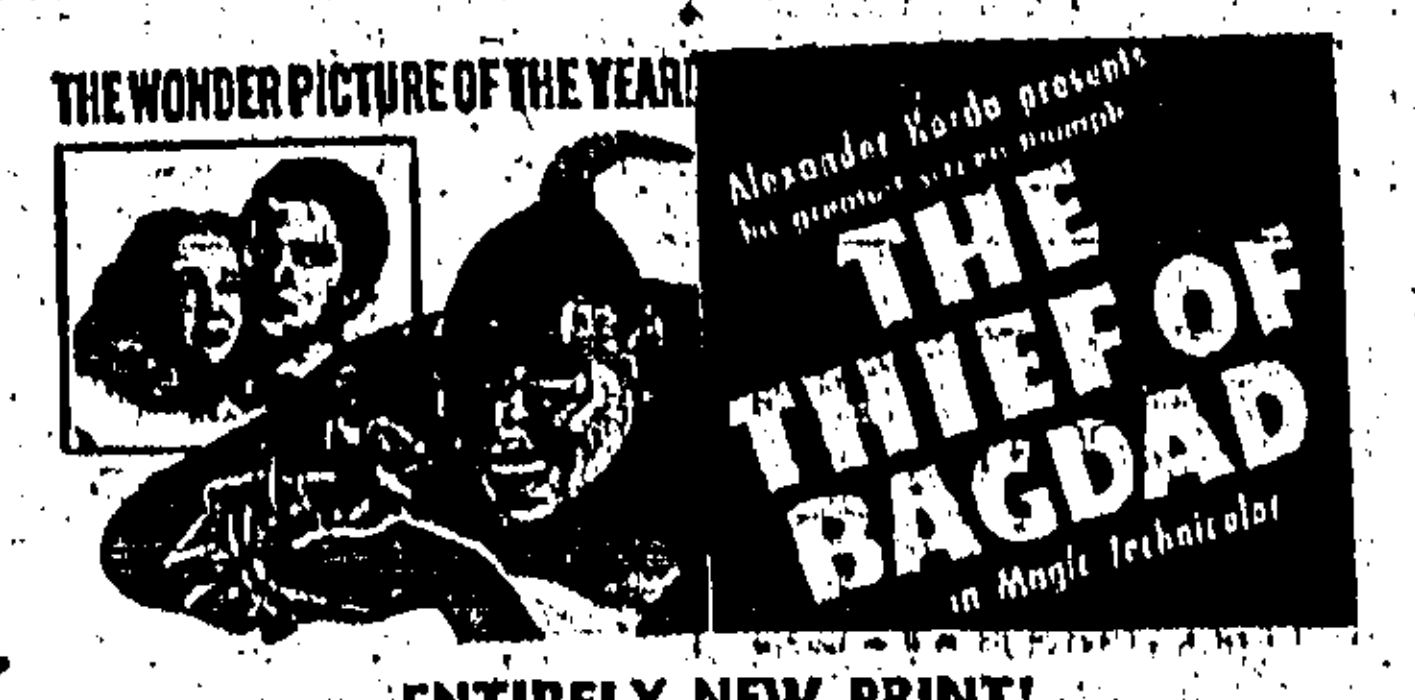
At the unveiling of a memorial to Jewish victims of the Nazi regime at Braunschweig, near the East German border, Dr. H. G. Van Dam, Secretary-General of the Central Council of Jews in Germany, said that of the 600,000 Jews in Germany before the Nazis came to power in 1933 only about 30,000 were still alive.

Unknown persons placed two wreaths at the memorial in a cemetery at Stuckenbrock, near Paderborn, where 65,000 Russian prisoners of the second world war are buried in mass graves.—Reuter.



LEE Theatre

TO-DAY
At 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.40 p.m.



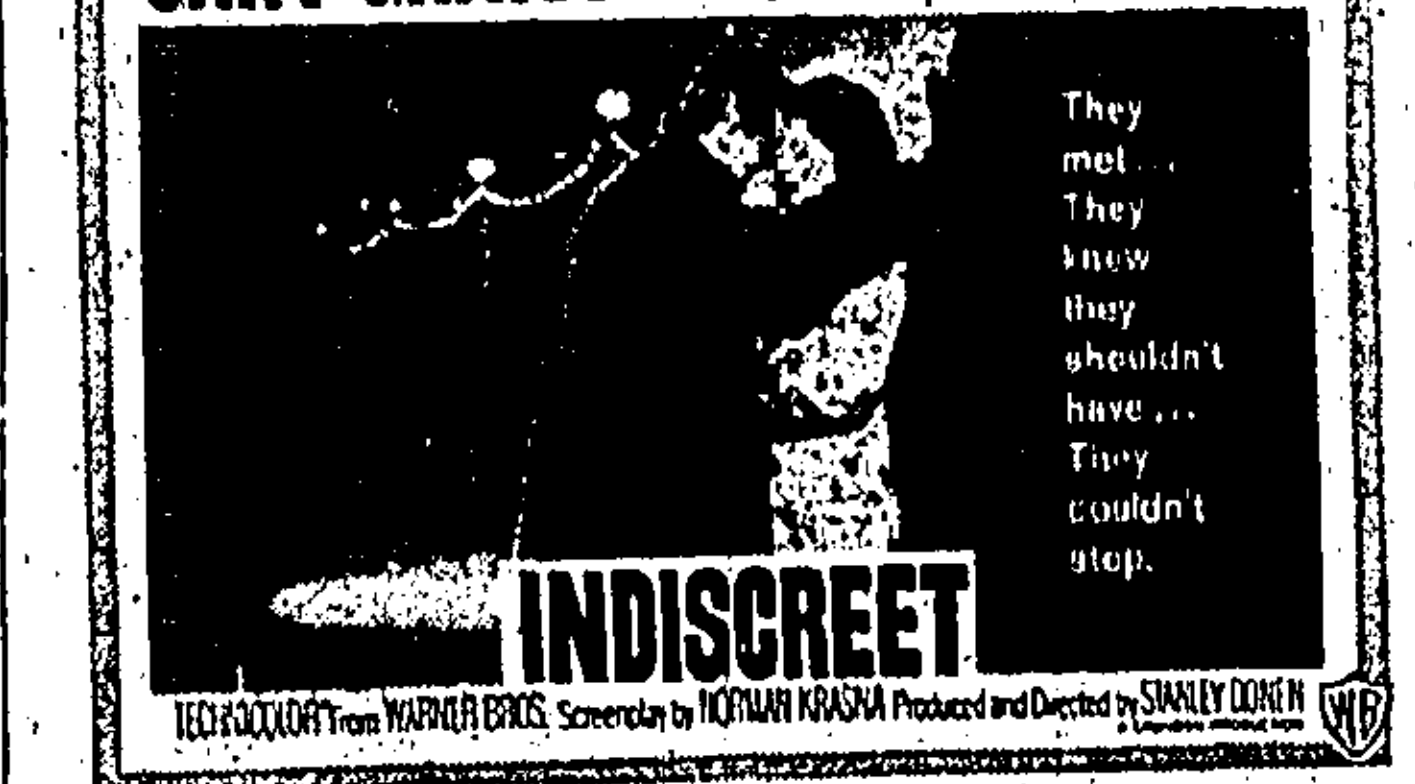
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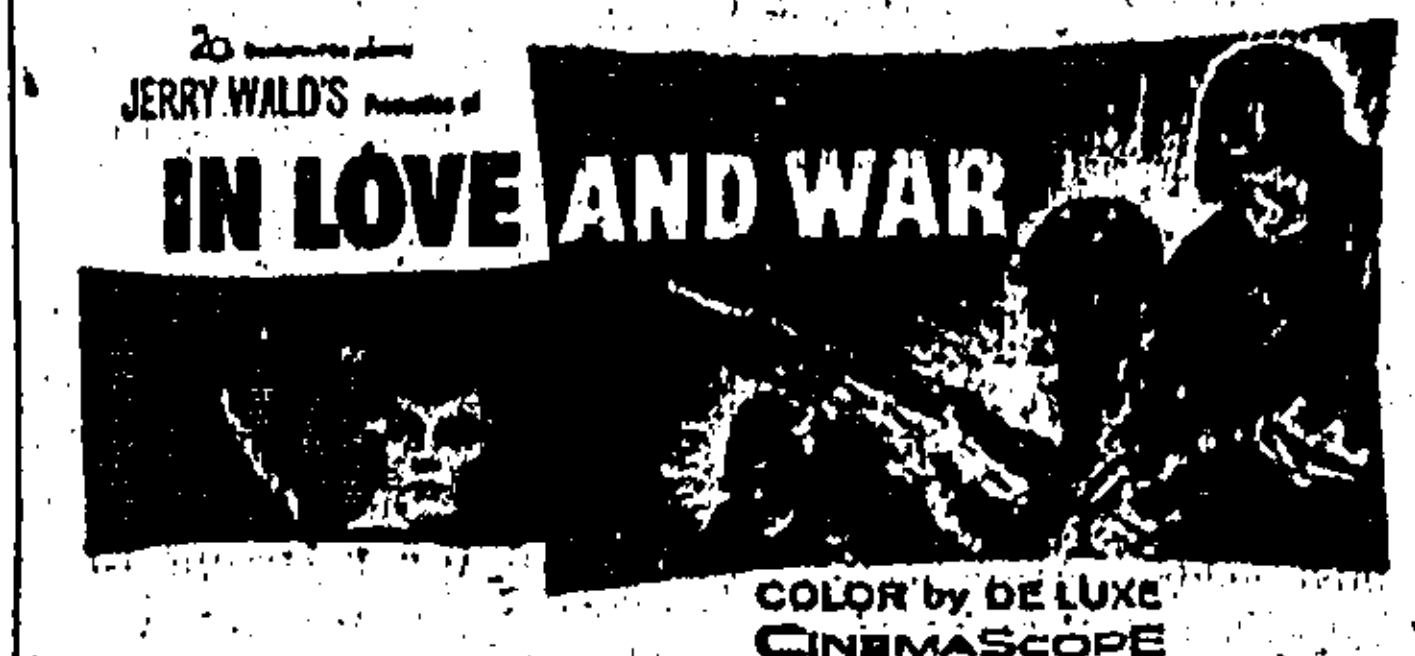
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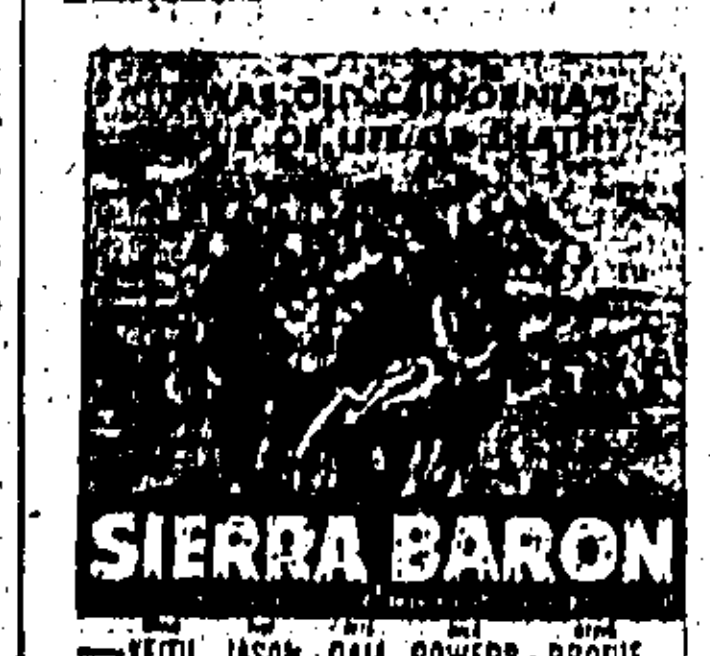
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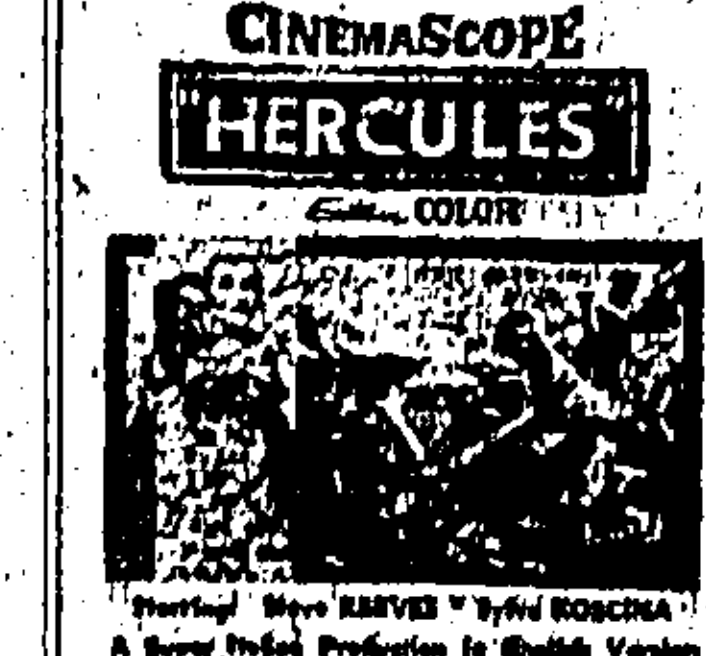


NEXT CHANGE

"JOHN OF THE BLACK GANG"

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CINEMASCOPE



Morning Show To-morrow

"Outside The Law"



U.S. Wants Canada's Queen

VIOLENT DISAGREEMENT OVER OPENING PLANS FOR ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY.

London, Nov. 16.

The London newspaper Sunday Express reported today that a violent disagreement has occurred between the United States and Canada as to whether Queen Elizabeth, who is to inaugurate the new St Lawrence Canal next summer, should open the canal in American or Canadian territory.

The Canadian Government wants the ceremony to be held in Canada, but the Americans were hoping that the Queen would visit the American end of the Canal for the opening.

Both governments were now studying five possibilities, including a compromise proposal for a meeting between Queen Elizabeth and President Eisenhower in "neutral" waters, aboard a boat on the St Lawrence.

The newspaper said that so far the Canadian Government has refused to agree to any compromise, since it was the Canadians who invited the Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh to visit Canada, who conveyed the idea of the canal in the first place, and paid most of the costs of constructing it.

However, the Americans were threatening to organize a rival ceremony in American territory to be presided over by President Eisenhower, if their claims were ignored, the paper said.—France-Press.

UK Atom Man Visits Japan And Russia

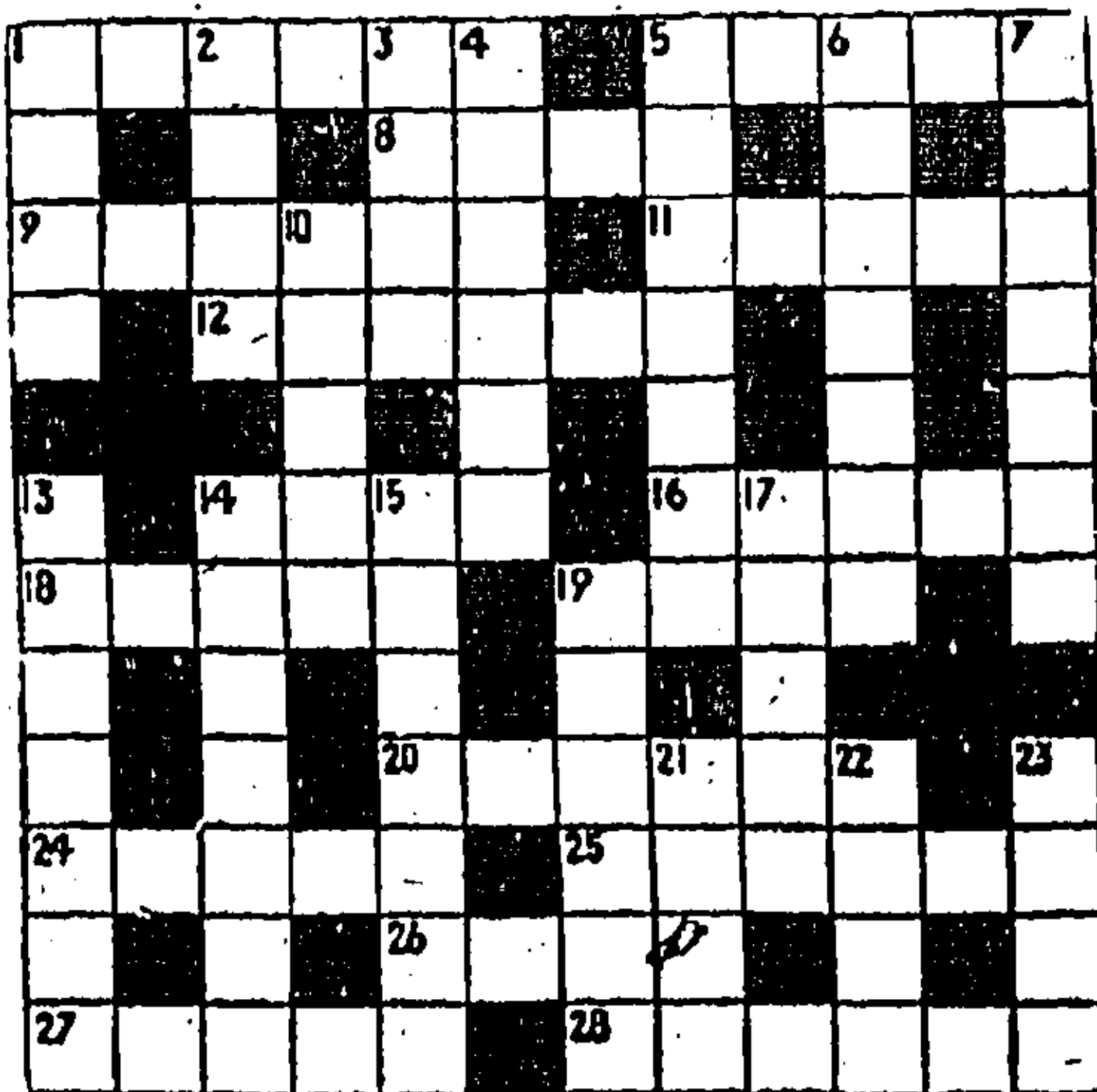
Tokyo, Nov. 17.

Sir John Cockcroft, Britain's eminent nuclear scientist, today arrived here for a one-week visit as a guest of Japan's Atomic Energy Commission.

As a member of the British Atomic Energy Authority, Sir John Cockcroft recently visited the Soviet Union at the invitation of the Soviet Academy of Sciences. He also met the Russian Prime Minister, Mr. Nikita Khrushchev.

In Japan he is scheduled to meet government leaders and scientists in addition to giving a number of lectures.—Reuter.

A British Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
- Outstanding (6).
 - Attacks from the air (5).
 - Frozen dew (4).
 - 5/2 coin (4).
 - Make inoperative (5).
 - Of one dimension (6).
 - Bygone (4).
 - Composition of ill-equipped fishermen? (5).
 - Calculus (5).
 - Everlasting complaint (4).
 - Voled (6).
 - Edible nonsense (5).
 - Taking steps towards smooth progress (5).
 - Might be black or white, we observe (4).
 - Sports item with a level start (5).
 - 26 A-lah-dool (6).
- DOWN**
- To some people in India it's quite understandable (4).
 - Push the opposite way? (4).
 - The country for rain (4).
 - Straightforward form of credit (6).
 - Familiar to both engineer and navigator (7).
 - Resort for fellows of quality? (7).
 - First-aid necessities (7).
 - Theatrical domino (5).
 - Sceptre's ghost (7).
 - Fun in Dad's day? (7).
 - Reptile (7).
 - Blind from Seoul (5).
 - Parcels out (6).
 - Client's legal right (4).
 - 22 One tenth of "9" (4).
 - 23 Try to get off? (4).

SATURDAY'S SOLUTION: Across: 1 Vista, 4 Carner, 5 Traces, 10 Ices, 12 Debate, 14 Lure-to, 17 R.E.-M.E., 18 T-reason, 20 Malheur, 22 Oral, 23 Editors, 27 Benson, 28 Twist, 30 M-Acet, 31 Defame, 32 Tuna, Down: 1 Vital, 2 Blair, 3 Alert, 5 Arlo, 6 Melees, 7 Nansen, 9 Settles, 11 Strait, 13 Boredom, 16 Omar, 18 Exiles, 20 Moor, 22 Mooted, 21 Tariff, 24 Inapt, 25 Oscar, 26 Sales, 28 A-to-la.

RAJAH INVITES SCIENTIST TO SEE YETI SKIN?

Katmandu, Nepal, Nov. 16.

The Rajah of Mustang today invited scientists to his mountain land in the high Himalayas to examine the skin of a strange animal that may—or may not—be an abominable snowman.

Malay Sweep Near Thai Border

Alor Star, Northern Malaya.

Police and army units will tomorrow begin a big drive against Communist terrorists operating in Kedah State near the Thailand border.

Target of the drive is a band of 40 "hard core" Communists whose leader, Ah Chun, had a price of \$5(M)12,000 on his head.

The joint police-army operation covers an area of 600 square miles, mostly thick jungle.

There will be a strict curfew, restrictions on movement and food rationing while the operation continues, it was announced.—Reuter.

Crashed Aircraft Three Saved

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 16.

The United States Air Force announced today that three of the eight airmen who bailed out of a crippled Flying Boxer over mountains North East of here during a blizzard on Friday night had been found alive.

Two others were dead. The three survivors have been taken to Hill Air Force base, near here.—Reuter.

Soviet Challenge

Washington, Nov. 16.

President Eisenhower will discuss the Soviet challenge to the western position in Berlin at a White House conference tomorrow with Mr. David Bruce, the United States Ambassador to West Germany.—Reuter.

Bubbles Beat The Band

London, Nov. 16.

The 80 members of the cast of "Boris Godunov" at the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden, have been solemnly warned about the dangers of feeding peppermints to Bubbles.

For Bubbles, normally a gentle docile horse, disgraced himself at a critical moment of the show—apart from the show—by eating too many peppermints.

For weeks he has been brought nightly to Covent Garden to be kept in a comfortable stall while Boris Christoff and a mighty cast play out the long and intricate story.

Then one night, Bubbles was led on to the stage by her groom, with Yagelav Josip Gosic in the saddle. The cast was beginning to fill the stage for the grand finale and Mr. Christoff's rich bass voice was ringing through the opera house.

Then from inside Bubbles came deep, sonorous, embarrassing rumbles which drowned the orchestra and the cast until by sheer weight of numbers they succeeded in drowning the sounds.—China Mail Special.

ADVISER FROM U.K. ARRIVES IN JORDAN

Amman, Nov. 16.

British Army Brigadier Strickland arrived here today to act as military adviser to the Jordan Government.

Strickland served for many years under Brigadier Glubb Pasha with the Arab Legion.

He will serve alongside Wing Commander Jack Dalglish, R.A.F. adviser to the government, who accompanied King Hussein in the flight over Syria toward Europe which was allegedly interrupted by Syrian MIG's.

Meanwhile, the last 10 of 12 British Hawker Hunter jet fighters offered by the United States to Jordan were expected to arrive here this week-end.—France-Press.

Rebels Killed In Cuba

Havana, Nov. 16.

The Cuban army claimed today that over 160 rebels had been killed in weekend operations, bringing the number of rebels officially reported killed since July 1 to over 1,300.

Army casualties yesterday were three dead and four wounded, the Communiqué said.—Reuter.

Don't Take Part In The Bridie Murphy Game

London Nov. 16.

The Daily Sketch has warned its readers not to take part in the "Bridie Murphy Game," a craze which it says is beginning to sweep Britain.

A full page article in the newspaper asserts: "Unless it is stopped now, it will not be long before it brings sickness and possibly death in its trail."

The article adds that the game takes its name from the book about the American woman who told of previous lives under hypnosis.

The game begins with amateur hypnotists putting friends in a trance and then trying to lead them back to a past existence, bringing out lurid descriptions of a previous life from the hypnotized subject.

Says the Daily Sketch writer: "To many it is a joke, to others a fantastic proof of reincarnation."



The Commonwealth pays homage to those who fell in two world wars. Above... the scene at the Cenotaph in London where the Queen placed the first wreath at the end of a two-minute silence on Armistice Sunday.—Reuterphoto.

Pastor Kidnapped And Held For £2,875 Ransom

Trapani, Sicily, Nov. 16.

Mr Alberto Castello, a 71-year-old American evangelist, described tonight how masked gunmen kidnapped him, vainly demanded a five million lire (£2,875) ransom and then abandoned him in a Sicilian cave.

The Italian-born Pastor was found today in a state of collapse outside a peasant's cottage in Campobello di Mazara one week after his car was held up while he was driving with his wife.

Castello said that after a night-long march he was pushed into a cavern where the two gunmen fed him on bread, cheese and water.

When they failed to bring him his evening meal on Saturday he rolled away the boulders blocking the cave's entrance and escaped.

He did not report the kidnapping for three days in hopes of bargaining with her husband's captors. Then the police launched an island-wide search.

Castello, weak and shocked from his ordeal, said he had changed his plan to spend his last years at his Sicilian birthplace, Mond.

"I shall sail back to New York on the first boat," he told reporters.—Reuter.

Czech Couple Flee By Light Plane

Regensburg, Germany, Nov. 16.

A Czech couple today fled Prague in a light plane and landed safely in West Germany, police here reported.

They were reported to have taken a light plane from the Prague Aero Club.—U.P.I.

Nato Congress Planned

Paris, Nov. 16.

Queen Elizabeth II will open the Atlantic Congress of 600 "leaders of thought," parliamentarians and business leaders of the North Atlantic Treaty Nations in London next June 6, it was announced here today.

Details of the Congress, which will mark NATO's tenth anniversary, were given by Colonel J. J. Fena of the Netherlands, President of the Annual Conference of Parliamentarians of the 16 NATO countries opening here tomorrow.

The London meeting will be held in Church House, Westminster, under the parliamentarians' sponsorship.

It will seek ways of fostering closer co-operation and unity of purpose among the North Atlantic Alliance members and collaboration with the peoples of the uncommitted countries of Asia, Africa and the rest of the "free world"—Reuter.

The newspaper quotes a psychiatrist as giving this warning: "Most amateur hypnotists have no idea how to reintegrate the subconscious mind with the conscious."

"The result is that these hidden thoughts now come out into the open and have an effect on the actions of the people involved."

"The thing that must be happening at these parties is that split personalities are being created. That must lead to trouble."

The article concludes by estimating that there are 4,000 amateur hypnotists in Britain.—China Mail Special.

Ghana Complains Queen's Name Is Misused By Press

Accra, Nov. 16.

The Ghana government said in a statement today that the Beaverbrook press in Britain had endangered the position of the Queen as head of the Commonwealth by the "irresponsible" use of her name.

The statement was commenting on an Editorial appearing today in the Sunday Express, one of Lord Beaverbrook's newspapers, urging that the Queen's visit to Ghana next year should be cancelled because of recent political developments in the country.

It described the editorial as "an unprecedented attempt to involve the crown of the United Kingdom and of Ghana in political controversy."

After rejecting the newspaper's criticisms of Dr. Nkrumah, the Ghanaian Prime Minister, the government statement said:

"The Government of Ghana particularly deplores the attempt by the Beaverbrook Press to use for their own partisan purposes the name of the Queen."

"The position of the Queen as head of the Commonwealth is bound to be endangered by such irresponsible use of her name."

The Queen is not only Queen of the United Kingdom, she is also Queen of Ghana and it is in that capacity that she hopes to visit Ghana next year.—Reuter.

107 Day Coma Ends For Birthday

Barnesley, Nov. 16.

Mr and Mrs Bernard Sheehan, of the Square, Cundy Cross, Barnesley, had a happy surprise when they went to Barnesley District Hospital to see their son, Michael.

He had regained consciousness after being in a coma for 107 days since a road accident. Michael's sixth birthday was celebrated with a tea party in his private ward.

Afterwards Mrs Sheehan said: "Although he has regained consciousness and now recognises us, he still cannot talk, although he was trying all the time."

A hospital doctor said: "It is a question of time before he speaks again."—China Mail Special.

New Archbishop For Chicago

Chicago, Nov. 16.

The Most Rev. Albert G. Meyer, the son of a Milwaukee grocer, today was enthroned with the pomp and pageantry of the Roman Catholic Church as Archbishop of the huge Chicago Archdiocese, largest in the United States.

The 66-year-old prelate, youngest Archbishop in the U.S., publicly thanked the late Pope Pius XII for his Episcopal appointment and said he had "reaped the rewards of the toll" of the late Samuel Cardinal Stritch.—U.P.I.

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Asylum Winner Shares His Prize

Ipswich, Nov. 16.

Albert Steele, a mental patient, who won £30,000 in a football pool last night, has given £500 so that friends in the asylum can celebrate his win.

Mr Steele, a voluntary mental patient for 20 years, recently discharged himself and now lives with a brother in Ipswich.—China Mail Special.

More Pay For Policemen

Baghdad, Nov. 16.

Premier Brig. Karim Kassem boosted pay for minor government officials today and promised additional increases for policemen.

Pay raises for Iraqi soldiers were announced earlier by Kassem.

He said all officials whose monthly salaries were less than 10 Dinars would get two Dinar (about five dollars) increases effective Nov. 1.—U.P.I.

For Roses —Crutches

Wolverhampton, Nov. 16.

People are using National Health Service crutches and walking sticks to train roses in their gardens when they recover, a hospital management committee complained here.

The committee are to ask for a deposit on future crutches and walking sticks supplied to patients at 17 hospitals in this area.

The secretary of the committee said they hoped this would stop the gardening trend.

If a person was really poor, however, no deposit would be charged.—China Mail Special.

Children Lost In NZ Forest Fourth Day

Wellington, Nov. 16.

One of the largest search parties in New Zealand's history will make a last hope effort tomorrow to find two "babes in the wood"—lost since Friday morning in a bleak, 20,000-acre forest area.

The children—Barry John Norris, nine, and seven-year-old Stewart Ellison—were seen entering the sprawling Rotorua State Forest near Rotorua, wearing only shorts and shirts. They are believed to be without food.

Day and night rescue efforts have continued since they were first reported missing. Police, forest workers and volunteers have taken part, aided by planes with air to ground hammers.

Searchers today found footprints in the forest and the name "Stewart" traced in dirt.—China Mail Special.

Christianity In Poland

Rome, Nov. 16.

Stephen Cardinal Wyszynski, Primate of Poland, said today "Christianism" was a great force in his country and that the faithfulness of Christian Poland had not changed.

The Polish Cardinal delivered a sermon during his Mass at the Church of Saint Stanislas the martyr.

"The seed of Christianity was sown 1,000 years ago in Poland," Wyszynski said, "and today it has grown until it has become a great force. Human science and knowledge have changed, but the faithfulness of Christian Poland has not changed," he said.—U.P.I.

To Freedom By Flight

Regensburg, West Germany, Nov. 16.

A Czechoslovak married couple from Prague flew a light aircraft across the border to West Germany today and asked for political asylum, the West German news agency DPA reported.

The couple, reported to be both teachers, landed the Prague Aero Club plane in a field near Regensburg about 60 miles from the border.—Reuter.

Pilgrims To Bethlehem

Jerusalem, Nov. 16.

Israel authorities were today studying the conditions under which this year's annual pilgrimage of Christian Arabs living in Israel to Bethlehem in Jordan, would take place.—France-Press.

WOMANSENSE

WHAT ITALIANS WILL BE WEARING SOON

LA LANA NELLA MODA FEMMINILE

By Gina Popesina



She Loved Two Men

Manila. Torn between two lovers, a village girl threw herself into a lake in Cebu Island in the southern Philippines.

The body of Miss Concepcion Mata aged 19 was found floating in the lake by police.

They said she committed suicide when an old sweetheart returned to her village to find her engaged to another man.

In the suicide note she left behind the girl said: "I find no

other recourse but to end it all, for I love you both."—Reuters.

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Godiva, the Amazonian parrot, keeps on the move. She was given away by the art gallery that bought her to Joyce Morgan, who makes pots in Chelsea. But Miss Morgan had to banish Godiva from her pottery and put her in her flat. Godiva's crime? Her habit of saying, "I wouldn't buy that if I were you."

JACOBY on BRIDGE

THE fine young team of Sidney Lazard of New Orleans, Bill Hanna of Los Angeles, Paul Allinger of Alameda and Bob Rothstein and Cy Neumann of Miami won the Masters' Team Championship at Miami and is likely to represent us in the next International Match.

Their path to the championship was not an easy one. Here is a hand that cost them points when Sidney and Bill reached a hard luck slam.

Sidney's jump to six hearts was typical of his style. He knew his side had enough stuff to make a slam if the opponents

NORTH 29	
♠ K 9	♥ A J 8 4
♦ Q J 9 3	♣ A 10 3 2
♠ Q 3 2	♥ K 8 6 4
♦ A 10 8 3 2	♣ 10 7 5
♥ K 6	♠ Q 7
♦ Q 7 5	♥ A 10 8 7 5 4
♠ J 9	♦ None
	♣ A K 8 6 4
No one vulnerable	
South	West
1 ♠	Pass
6 ♥	Pass
Opening lead—♠ 3	

could not cash two tricks first and saw no reason to help them out by tipping an opening lead. He won the diamond lead in dummy and discarded his seven of spades. His next play was the queen of hearts finesse and West took his king.

Now it was up to West to find the right lead to beat the contract. Any lead but a spade would allow Sidney to get rid of both dummy's spades on his long clubs. Unfortunately for Sidney West did come up with the spade shift and the slam went down.

♥+CARD Sense

Q—The bidding has been:

West North East

1 ♠ Double Redbl. 7

You, South, hold:

♠ 5 3 ♥ A 10 2 ♦ Q 8 7 3 ♣ K 9 7

What do you do?

A—Pass. Your partner will choose a suit and you will then raise him. Obviously, there is something wrong with the bidding and the chances are that East is bluffing.

TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding continues with pass by West, two clubs by North and two spades by East. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

YOUR BIRTHDAY ... By STELLA

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17

BORN today the stars have given you exceptional ability in the field of music and the arts but you are not always sufficiently alert to reach out and grasp the first opportunity, when offered. Hence, you may not reach your best and the middle of your life. Learn to recognize that first chance and be ready to make use of it immediately. Good fortune might never come your way again!

Since you have executive ability and good judgment, you ought to do well in business, also. This combination of the artist and the executive is a fairly rare one, so make good use of the dual gift. You not only have the ability to be original and creative in your thinking, but you are able to convert your ideas into a reality. Let your birthday make money out of it. Never take outside advice on a personal matter, for you will discover that your own judgment is wiser in the long run. In fact, others will come to you for advice.

You have a loving nature and are inclined to be overimpassive when it comes to romance. High-spirited and at times hot-tempered, you need to cultivate more emotional control, if you are to find lasting happiness in life.

Among those born on the date are: Louis VIII of France; Frank Arthur Vanderbilt, banker; Pierre Gaudier de Valenciennes, 19th century explorer of Canada; Homer Lea, soldier and author.

To find what the stars have in store for you tomorrow, select your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. Let your birthday star be your daily guide.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)—Be constructive in your thoughts as well as in your activities. Produce now.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—Adjust yourself as best you can to changes, for they can be good for you.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—Be cautious when dealing with superiors or the office. Be tactful and polite.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—All will go possibly well on the domestic scene if you will display patience.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)—Try to struggle along on your present budget without having to borrow anything.

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)—If your club is holding a meeting, take the chair and guide events as you desire them!

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)—Go easy in business matters and postpone any important decision until later on in the week.

GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—It contemplating a long trip, make your flight plans but postpone leaving for a few days.

CANCER (June 22-July 22)—Cultivating new friends can inspire you and widen your horizon.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)—Be very sure of the collateral offered, if you are thinking of making a loan to someone.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 23)—A new and original idea may be a good one, so develop it for practical use.

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—Attend an interesting lecture this evening. Gain information as well as pleasure.

Rupert and the Carved Stick—14



The gentleman's expression slowly softens. "Yes, that's my stick," he says. "I found it recently among the old family things and I need it to help me climb up and down the cliffs." "It's lovely," says Rupert. "But what do all those carved words and numbers mean?" "I can't

imagine," laughs the man. "They're very odd. Let's read the words. They say, 'HIGHEST-ROCK-POINT-LINE-AND-THE-SILVER-OAK.' Surely that doesn't mean anything," exclaims Edward. "It sounds like a lot of nonsense."

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VENEZIANI—Milan: Black and dark-grey checked wool is used for this ensemble, which includes a simple-styled coat that recalls the redingote line. This gives a longer, trimmer look to the figure. The dress follows the same line as the coat, but is made in charcoal-grey wool. The fabrics are from the Piacenza wool mill at Pollone.

LEA LIVOLI—Milan: A black and white tweed from the Piacenza wool mill is used for this ensemble, which comprises a 9/10 coat and a dress. The fabric emphasises the simple, yet refined style of the team.

BIKI—Milan: An elegant ensemble in hazel-coloured rough wool. The collars of both jacket and blouse, which is in black wool jersey, are particularly emphasised.

STORIES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Knarf And His Friends

—Everyone Was Getting Ready For Winter—

By MAX TRELL

"WELL," Blinky Mole said to Knarf, the Shadow Boy with the Turned-About Name, who met him standing at the doorway of Blinky's underground house, "the cold weather's coming on all right. I'm getting ready for it."

"Are you going away?" Knarf asked.

"Going away?" asked Blinky in surprise. "Going away where?"

"Going away where it's warmer," said Knarf. "Going away where the winter isn't. Going South, like the Birds do."

Not A Bird

Blinky shook his head and smiled.

"I'm not a Bird," he said. "My father's not a Bird and my mother's not a Bird. None of my uncles or aunts are Birds. I'm a Mole and proud of it. I'm staying right here."

Knarf said good-morning to Blinky and walked down the path a bit. By and by, he met Squire Squirrel leaning against the trunk of a maple tree. Squire was holding a shovel.

"Me!" he exclaimed. "Go away? Do you take me for a Bird?"

"I take you for a Squirrel," said Knarf.

"That's what I am," replied Squire, "a Squirrel from my whiskers to my tail! The winter doesn't frighten me—not with my icebox filled with things to eat, anyway!"

Knarf walked on again, and there in the middle of the path, he met Willy Toad.

Willy looked like a hobo. He was wearing a pair of dungarees, well worn around the knees, and a ragged coat. Over his shoulder at the end of a stick, Willy was carrying a bundle of clothes.

Winter's Coming

"Winter's coming on," Willy remarked after he had said good morning to Knarf. "I'm on my way."

"Oh, you're going away for the winter," observed Knarf.

"I certainly am," said Willy. "I don't like winter and winter doesn't like me."

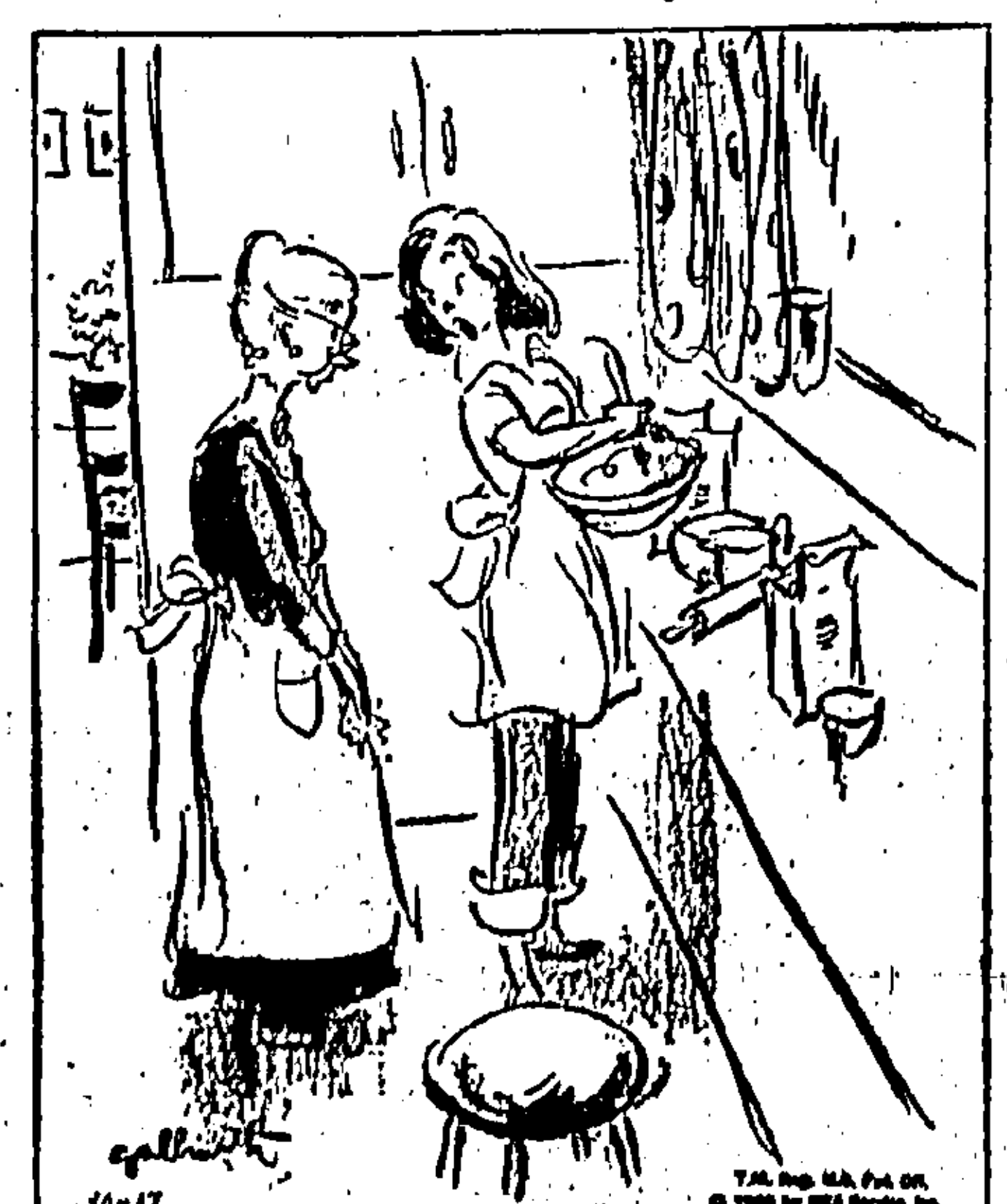
"Are you going South with the Birds?" asked Knarf.

At this, Willy gave Knarf such an astonished look that Knarf said: "But you've all your clothes packed and everything. You must be going South!"



"I'm a Mole and proud of it," Blinky told Knarf.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"Honestly, Grammy, how could anyone who has cooked for so many years not know how to make pizza?"

Household Hints

In Italy we have recently had a lesson in styling at a fashion show of autumn/winter models held at Pollone by the Piacenza Wool Mill. Here were seen the new wool fabrics that have been chosen by fashion houses and by ready-made clothes manufacturers, and there is no doubt that these fabrics, whether they have been used for the sophisticated creations of Veneziani, Biki and Lea Livoli, or for the simply-styled ready-made clothes of well-known wholesale houses are the real basis of the latest fashions.

For an elegant woman with a normal wardrobe (and purse) ideal topcoat fabrics shown at Pollone included the wonderful new tweeds, which looked rugged, but possess a really soft handle. Others equally suitable were the soft looped boucles and the new wool clinkings. There were also the soft, smooth velours in new attractive shades that varied from "petroleum-green" to "violet of Parma."

For morning or travel coats it is always advisable to choose a

With soft hats taking the spotlight this year, this is the time to try making your own. Even odds and ends of material will do, and by buying a little extra when you make your next dress, you'll have a hat to match.

Cut the crown, at least, on the bias—and drape it in the mirror until it suits you.

The cheese board is figuring more and more prominently at informal get-togethers.

Small pieces of cotton knitwear can be guarded from shrinkage by trying them in the same load with Turkish towels. The latter absorb most of the drying action and keep the small pieces from drying out too much, too fast.

Week-End Rugby POLICE SURPRISE R.A.F. WITH DESERVING WIN

By PAK LO

After holding the Army South to a scoreless draw at half time on Saturday the Army North suddenly went completely to pieces and let the Southerners roll over them to the tune of 14 points (one goal, three tries) to nil, while on the other side of the harbour at Kai Tak the strong RAF XV started well but faded away to a shadow of its former self and the Policemen won deservedly by six points (one try, one penalty goal) to nil.

The result was a surprising one, and although the airmen played the second half with only fourteen men, they never looked as if they could have scored, even with a full team.

The Rest of the Colony XV which will face the Navy on Thursday, Nov. 20 has now been announced, and details of this and the Navy XV with a preview of the game itself will be published in this column in Wednesday's China Mail.

Of those selected the only one who played on Saturday and failed to come up to scratch was Leppard. Woodward, who was Leppard's opposite number although his place-kicking was again poor, played a much better game positionally for Army South than Leppard, but presumably the Rest were selected on Wednesday night's game.

Police v RAF

The new Police combination of Roberts and Lewis as the two halves looked quite good at the start, but after twenty minutes Roberts and Riech changed places and both of them played one of their best games to date in their usual positions.

The forwards shared play in the first half, but in the second half the Police completely dominated the scrums, and with the ball coming back, albeit slowly, at the back row of the scrum kept getting their "big flat" feet in the way, the Police halves had every chance.

Stood Out

For once, too, the Police three were used to good effect, especially in the second half when they were always threatening to score. Of the three, Scott stood out both in defence and attack and Bellingham on one wing did in some lovely runs that with a little more support from the Police forwards would have seen the Police end with a bigger score.

Johnston showed a very definite improvement and was much more like his old self. The airmen's halves were very good indeed, although Gibson took quite a pasting, but with the outstanding exception of Martin behind them the three were disappointing. Pringle was definitely slow off the mark and passed too late, and as a result the two wings were starved and the RAF attack never consolidated itself into a danger.

The first score came after only three minutes. Before the airmen could settle Riech led the forwards down the wing with the ball at his feet. About twenty yards from the RAF line there was a knock-on and a scrum, and in the scrum the RAF were penalised for off-side round the scrum and Roberts converted. 3-0.

Injured

Just before half time Foras left the field with an injured wrist and then the Police began to pile on the pressure, though despite some high tackling by the RAF defence, they failed to break through.

In fact it was not until the thirteenth minute of the second half that the Police scored again. They had been building up the pressure steadily and had just failed to touch down a rolling ball as it crossed the line. The Police swept back from the drop-out and there was a lineout fifteen yards from the line. Halgh got the ball and scored in the corner. No conversion. 6-0.

Towards the end, the airmen rallied and Martin very narrowly missed a drop at goal, and then Roberts missed what should, for him, have been an easy penalty from 20 yards out, but it was just not the airmen's day who finished the game with a blank score.

Army South v. Army North

Both sides in the first half were evenly matched. In fact for a while it seemed as if the Northerners would score. Leppard missed a chance with a penalty kick on the Army South 25, and just before half-time, the Army North camped ten yards from the Southerners

line, and although their three forwards were passing the ball back and forth beautifully they could not find a crack in the strong Army South defence.

A Terrific Game

Among the Northerners Bingham had a terrific game at scrum half throughout the whole game while in the forwards Mander and Muntz especially the latter were outstanding.

Wynn was unable to play, but although without his usual partner, Muntz was the dominant figure among the forwards in the lineouts and the loose.

The Army South three were very smooth in the second half, when they suddenly seemed to click, while the Northerners once again held on to the ball far too long and were well tackled for their misguided efforts.

In the second half, the Northerners' defence collapsed especially on the right wing where Tilley suddenly looked completely lost, and all four of the tries were scored down that wing.

Complete Control

Army South lost Embley in the twentieth minute of the second half with an injured thumb, but it made little difference, because by that time the Southerners had complete territorial and tactical control of the game.

In the second half, a minute after Woodward had missed a penalty conversion from the 25, the South pressed again and a three move was well backed up by Low who scored in the corner. Woodward, as if to show he could do it, converted 5-0.

Soon after, the Army South forwards rushed with some nice interpassing and the ball went out on the Northerners 25 to Warrington who scored in the corner. No conversion. 8-0.

Five minutes later there was a scrum on the Army North 25. The Northerners heeled and under pressure the ball was whipped back to Leppard who was caught in possession. From the loose Maul that resulted the ball came out on the Army South side and moved across the three to Warrington who again scored in the corner. No conversion. 11-0.

Finally just before the end the Army South went away again from a lineout on the Army North 25, and with Woodward joining in as extra man, the ball finally went out to Sanderson who scored in the corner. No conversion. 14-0.

CARDINALS COMPLETE JAPAN TOUR WITH 14-2 RECORD

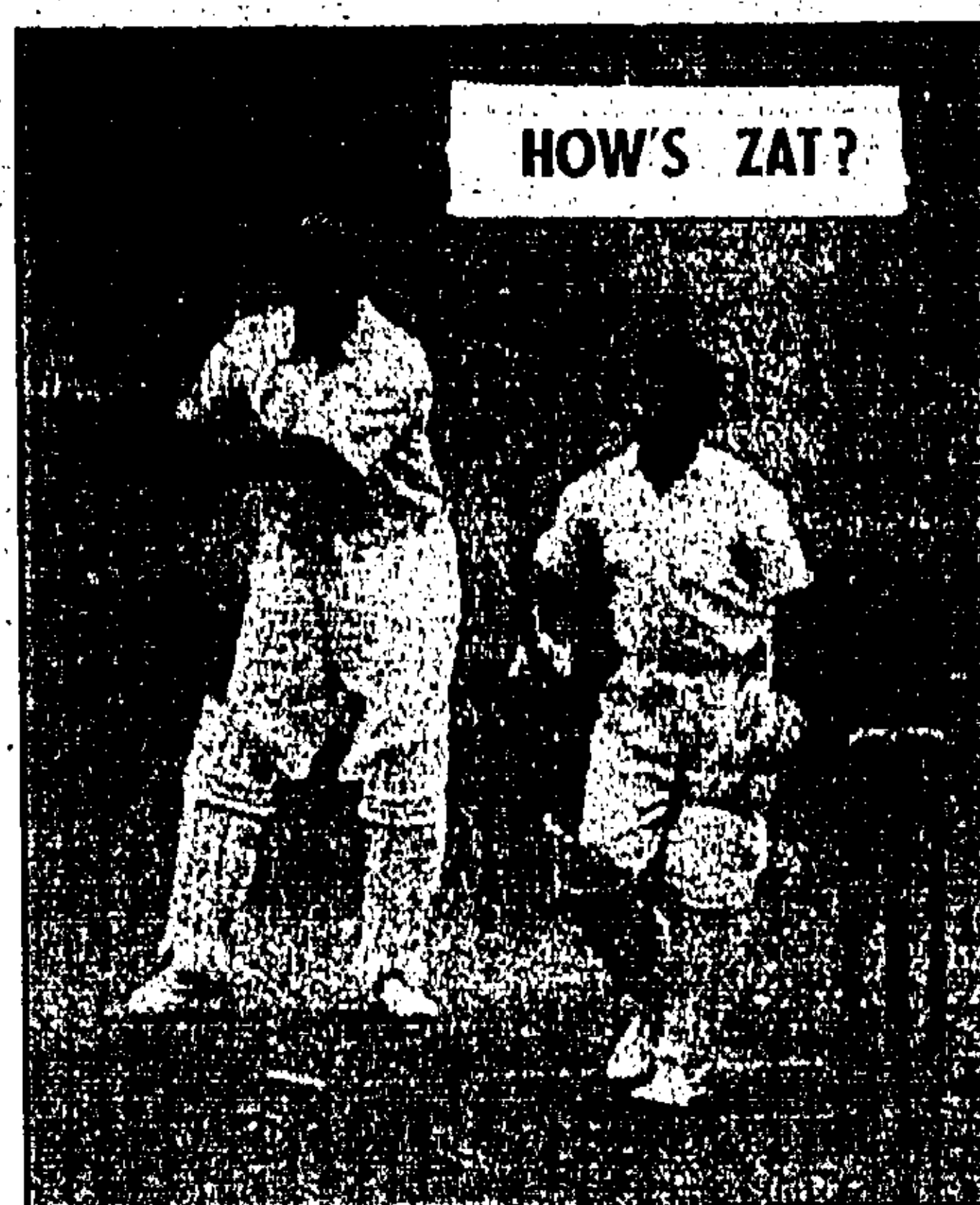
The St. Louis Cardinals swept their two "Sayonara" (Good-bye) games today for a record of 14 victories against two losses in their 16-game goodwill series against the Japanese All-Stars.

Catcher Gene Green hit two homers and sparked the Cardinals to an 8-2 victory before 40,000 fans at Korakuen stadium, in the morning game. This was the game postponed from Sunday, October 26, because of rain.

The stands were cleared and another bumper crowd of 40,000 jammed the stadium this afternoon to see the Cardinals take the final game, 4-2.

The Cardinals, who finished in a tie for fifth place in this year's National League pennant

race, were expected by Japanese baseball observers to drop at least five games. But they made a better showing than the 1957 Dodgers, National League pennant winners that year, who won 14 games, lost four and were tied in one game.—U.P.I.



How's Zat? shouts out Hongkong Cricket Club Scorpions' wicketkeeper Harry Owen-Hughes as he makes a good catch to dismiss Reccelo batsman D. E. Remedios after he had scored 21 runs in the first division league match between Scorpions and Reccelo on Saturday.

The Scorpions won by six wickets.—China Mail photo.

Senior Softball League Race Now Wide Open

SOUTH CHINA TRIUMPH OVER CHAMPION SAINT JOSEPH'S

By "TIME OUT"

Softball over the week-end reached great heights as each of the games played deserve special mention. To be fair to all, I'll take one game at a time for comment.

First and foremost I must take my hat off to the senior South China squad.

Behind the steady five-hit pitching of 'Goose Wong', the lads from Caroline Hill made the defending champions St. Joseph's, eat humble pie by handing them a 6-5 defeat to throw the Senior League race wide open.

The Caroliners, coming behind, exploded their big guns in the fifth and sixth innings to notch up five runs to lead 6-4. In these two innings, the Nam Wah boys made the Saints' infield look like beginners.

The Joceys came back fighting in the seventh but could do no more than notch up a run to lose by 6-5.

The man of the day was South China's shortstop Ray Lamontagne, who besides playing a steady game had a perfect day at the plate with four hits in as many times at bat.

3 Gift Runs

If there was such a thing as the 'Most Unvaluable Player' award, I would give it to South China's catcher K.K. Sit. Sit presented the Joceys with three 'gift' runs as he threw wild runners who were but a mere yard from the base. Was all this really necessary?

Lionel Dayaram's tiny tot, the Stardusts, lived up to expectations with a sensational win over Onofre Sousa's Diamonds. These youngsters have a lot of know-how about the game and they really went to town in the fifth inning. They scored no fewer than four runs on as many hits. Highlight of the inning was a solid two-run homer off the bat of centre-

fielder George Lam. The Diamonds started off nicely with two runs and looked sure winners but Stardusts' pitcher Gabriel Venpin, backed by some very impressive fielding held Sousa's precious game scoreless for the rest of the game. Venpin though not being able to claim any victims at the plate, walked none and limited the Diamonds to three hits. The final score was 5-2.

Third No-Hitter

In the Ladies' League, Matadors' promising pitcher Annie Annabelle Chin tossed the third no-hitter of the season, when she pitched her team to a fine 13-3 victory over their arch-rivals, the ever-so-green Toreros. Annabelle struck out eight batters and walked only three.

As for the Toreros it was another day of 'sackcloth and ashes'. This keen bunch of girls have a lot of pep but lack that certain something to shape into a good team. But can we blame them when they have a coach who hardly knows the finer aspects of the sport? All these girls need is some hard work-outs.

On the credit side, these girls notched the second triple play of the season. A great boost indeed. Better luck next time Toreros.

In the second Senior game of the day, Ed. Carvalho's seminoles registered the second victory in the Senior league with a sound 9-4 win over the Pandas.

Never In Game

The Indians, playing their best game to date, smashed Panda pitcher 'Junior' Pang for 10 hits, one being a two-run homer by lanky Peer Cooke and three being doubles by Ray Pacheco, Daniel Castro and Peter d'Almada respectively. The Tribe's pitcher Ray Pacheco held the Pandas to one meagre hit though walking 13.

The Pandas, adopting the 'we don't care' attitude were never in the game. They could have tightened the score twice but

for some very erratic base-running that resulted in two double plays. The Pandas are the only team in the Seniors without a win.

The game is, however, under protest. Plate umpire Fred Diesta called off the game in the sixth inning as it was past time and that it was interfering with the next game, which was between Diesta's Dodgers and the Austers. The Pandas did not seem to think it was fair. I agree but then who am I to argue?

It was very disappointing to see certain of the Pandas players, who are well known for their good sportsmanship, blow their tops. One particular incident when rightfielder Tim Wong came up to the umpire and made uncalculated remarks in protest to a decision made was nothing short of disgraceful. How the umpire could stand it was really a wonder. If there had been a stern umpire, Wong would have been sent to the showers without a moment's hesitation. Come on you umpires show your true colours.

Monotonous

The Comets-University affair resulted in extended innings. Although the score read Comets 9, University 8, the game was monotonous. The game was played in such a free and easy manner that it gave the spectators nothing to get excited about. The only highlight was a double play credited against the University in the third inning.

The contest between the undefeated Dodgers and the Austers was similar to that of the Comets-University affair. It lacked a display of fighting spirit. The Dodgers had a field day and ran out worthy winners.

In the second Ladies game, the Undergraduates from Pokfulam failed to turn up by game time and thus forfeited the game to the Hurricanes to keep the latter's slate clean. I wonder if the Association intends to do anything about this. It remains only to be seen.

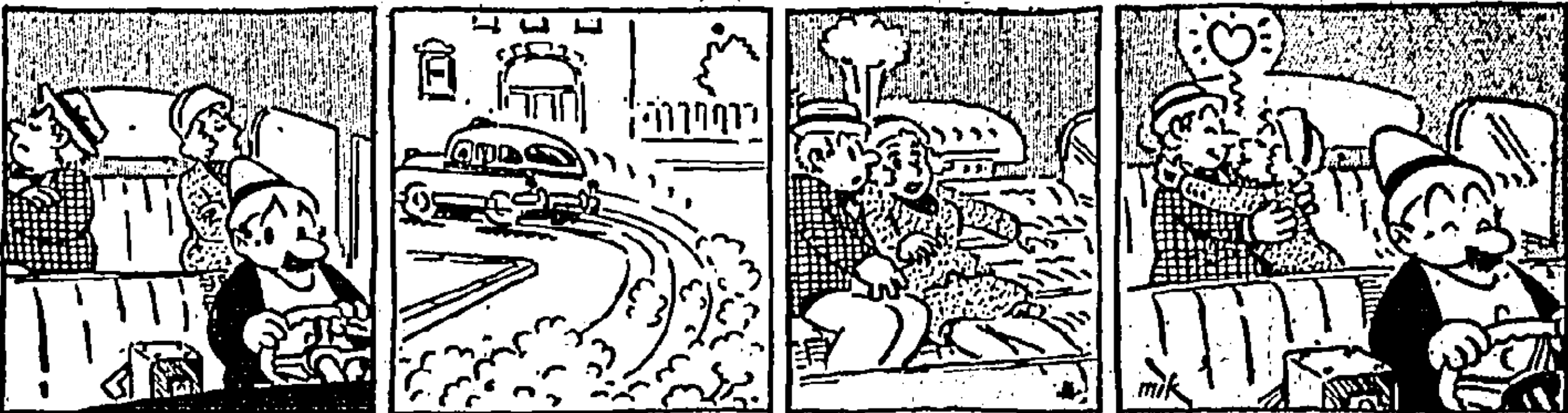
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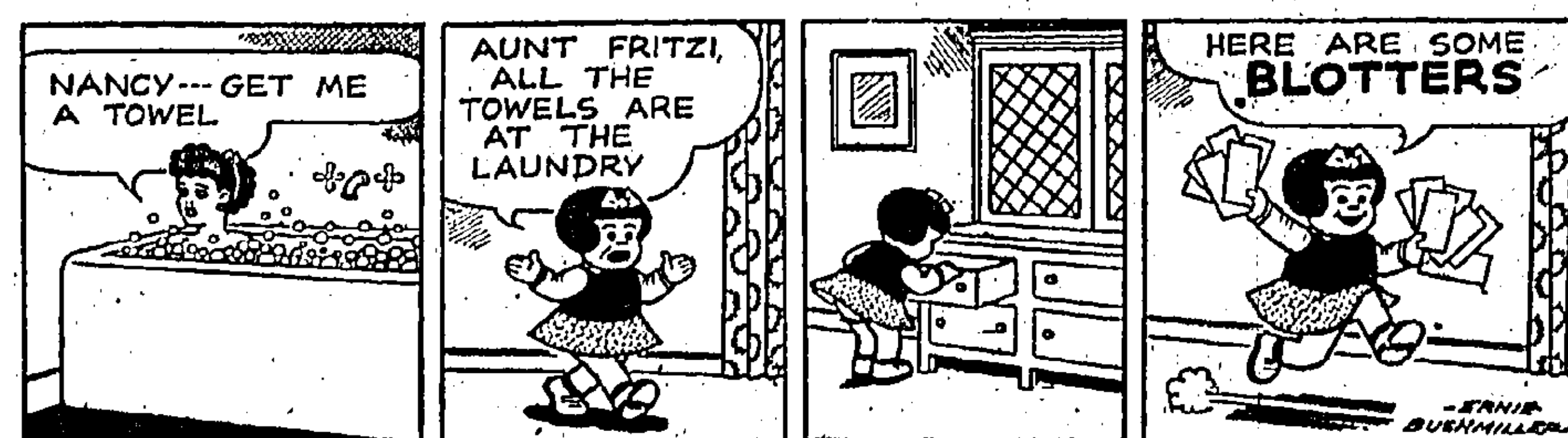
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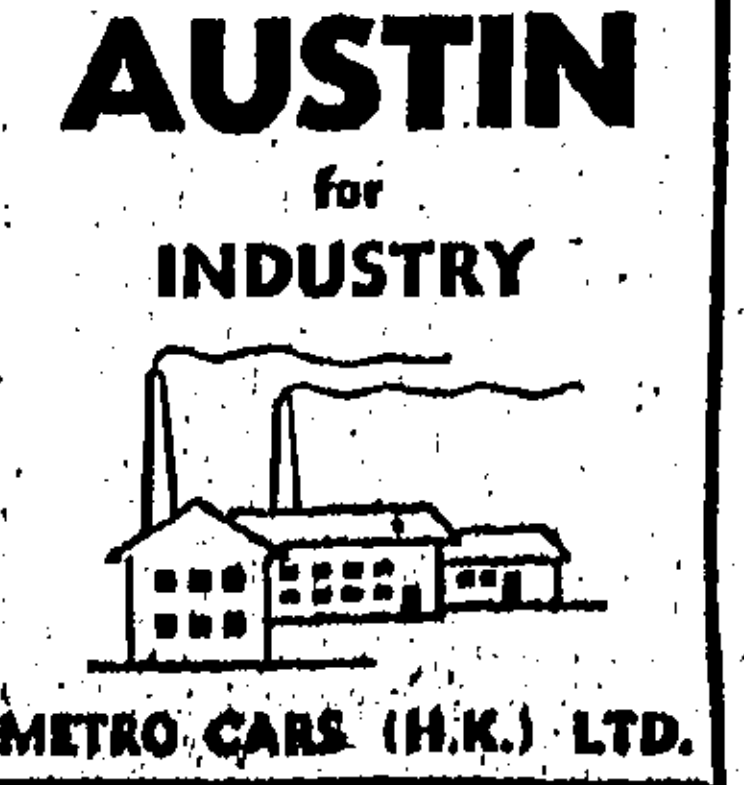
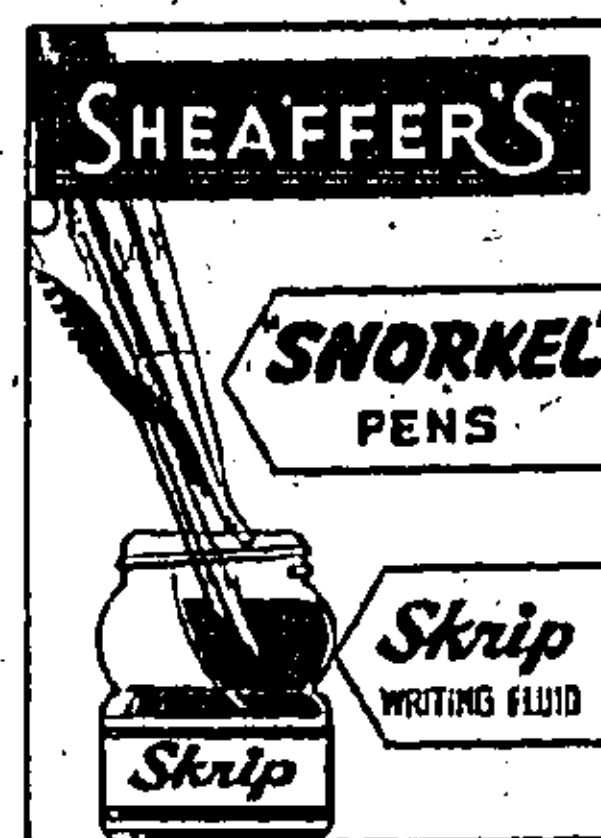
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Man Charged With Killing Uncle

A man killed his uncle with a piece of iron piping following a quarrel it was alleged, when the trial of Tsoi Shu-fat, 47, lorry driver, opened before Mr Justice Scholes this morning.

Tsoi was charged with the murder of Tsoi Wan in Nam Chang Street, Shamshuipo, on July 8 last.

It was stated that the alleged assault took place after the two men had been separated and went in different directions.

Prosecuting is Mr. A. Sanguinetti, Crown Counsel, assisted by Det. Insp. T. E. Monnington.

Tsoi is defended by Mr. Gerald Basto, instructed by Mr. Abbas el Arculli.

A jury of five men and two women has been empanelled.

Wife's Quarrel

Crown Counsel said that on July 8 last the accused's wife had a quarrel with his uncle.

Accused who was at the time doing repairs in his own house was informed of it by telephone and he made his way to Nam Chang Street where his lorry was parked.

There accused saw his uncle, and the two men were later seen quarrelling. Neither of them was armed, Crown Counsel said.

They were separated by friends and the nephew and uncle went away in different directions.

Accused was seen entering a shop in Nam Chang Street and emerging with a piece of iron piping about three feet in length. He was seen to return to the place where his lorry was parked. His uncle, said Crown Counsel, was also there at the time.

Mr Sanguinetti said that accused was seen hitting a man

very hard with the piping, and the person, later identified as the deceased, collapsed.

The piping was part of a lorry which was under repair. The weapon was found near the place where the deceased had collapsed.

Questioned by the police, accused allegedly said that he did not mean to kill his uncle, and that he hit him because he was defending himself.

Hearing is continuing.

Jewellery Stolen

Thieves broke into No. 96, Wharf Road, third floor, North Point, on Saturday afternoon and stole jewellery valued at \$910.

On the same day, cash and jewellery to a total value of \$5,365 were stolen from No. 99, Robinson Road, top floor.

Four Suspects Detained

The Police have detained four men following pick-pocketing and snatching incidents in various parts of the Colony during the last 48 hours.

Chinese Who Crossed Border Are Questioned

The two Chinese Communist officials who crossed the border into Hongkong yesterday seeking asylum, are being detained and questioned, a Government spokesman said this morning.

It is believed the two are brothers, one a teacher in Anhwei, and the other an Army lieutenant.

No other details are known, and the Government spokesman would make no further comment.

DEATH OF FORMER RESIDENT

Florence Harvey Beckwith, a former Hongkong resident, died at Sherborne, Dorsetshire recently, it was learned today.

Mrs Beckwith was the wife of a former Hongkong Harbour Master, the late Commander C. W. Beckwith, RN (ret'd).

Mrs Beckwith who was living at Pen-Chia, the Avenue, Sherborne died on November 4.

Commander Beckwith was a keen supporter of the local Horticultural Society and a successful exhibitor at shows.

POW Meeting At KCC

The Annual General Meeting of the Hongkong POW Association and Civilian Internees will be held next Saturday evening at the Kowloon Cricket Club.

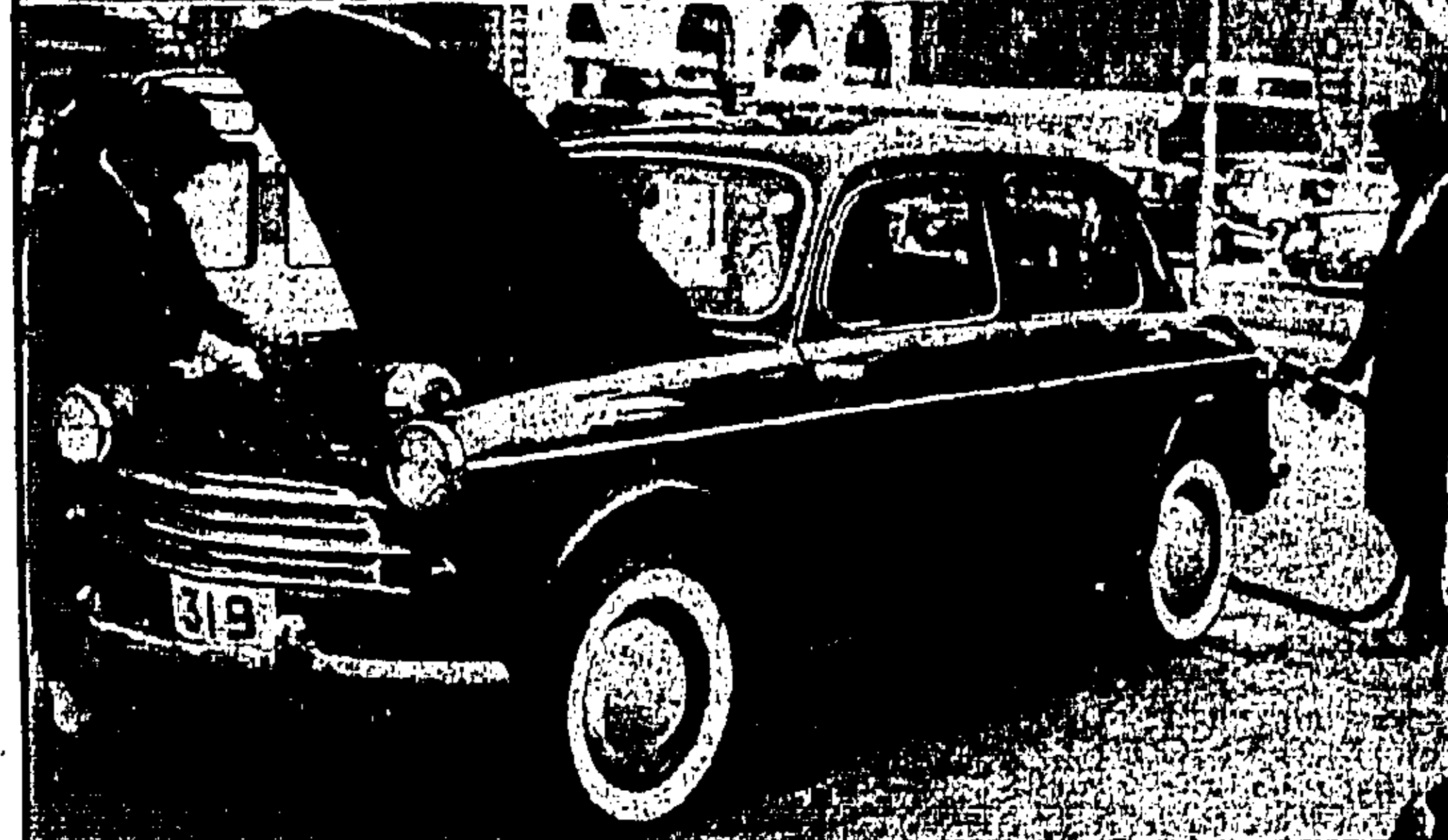
There will be a buffet supper followed by a concert commencing at 9.30 p.m. and later dancing.

New Job For Girls



These two girls are Hongkong's first female petrol station attendants. On the left is Katherine Lul, 19 and standing beside her is Mimi Chen, 18.

Below they are seen filling a car and checking the battery. The new idea is still under trial. — China Mail Photo.



NOW GIRLS MAN THE PUMPS AT A KOWLOON STATION

by Andrew Sloan
China Mail Reporter

For the past three months a filling station in Kowloon has been experimenting with women attendants for the first time in the history of the Colony.

The station in Salisbury Road, near the Star Ferry, has in conjunction with the Far East Motors, been employing three girl attendants.

A spokesman of Far East Motors said this morning that to date the experiment has been "quite a success." He added that so far, gasoline sales have "shot up."

When the girls first began work, he said, a census was carried out to ascertain how customers liked being served by the girls. Practically all the answers were in the affirmative, but there were six women who replied they would rather be served by men.

The oil company involved in the experiment, I understand, are still watching developments, and have not yet made up their minds.

Then Two

Until recently there were three girls, but one was not happy, so she left.

Now Far East Motors are advertising for another. For the first three posts, there were 200 applications. The only qualification required was that they speak a little English.

This morning I went across and had a chat with the only two girl filling-station attendants in the Colony.

They are Miss Mimi Chen, 18, and Miss Katherine Lul, 19. Asked how they felt being the only two girl attendants in the Colony, they replied very simply and briefly, "Not bad."

"At first," they said, "we felt very self-conscious about it."

whole thing, but now it is all right. Customers used to make fun of us, but we have grown used to that too, and it has almost stopped."

They said that they work only during the day, and are paid the same rates as the men who work at the biggest (volume of business) filling station in the Colony, \$135 a month. They both agreed that they were quite happy there and liked their job.

At present, they only work the gasoline pumps, and fix and check car batteries. Soon they will be changing into their winter uniforms, which is bright yellow with a red stripe down the side, likened by the Far East Motors spokesman, to the drum-major's uniforms who lead brass bands in America.

Thefts From Cars

Four thefts from parked cars were reported to the Police over the week-end. In one case, a woollen sweater valued at \$80 was taken from a car parked outside St. Teresa's Church, Prince Edward Road.

Man Injured By Car

A 52-year-old man, Liu Wing, of No. 6, Man Ming Lane, second floor, was knocked down and injured by a private car in Nathan Road, near Gascoigne Road, late last night. The man was admitted to Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

7 a.m. Shanghai Street Blaze

A fire broke out at 7 o'clock this morning in the crowded Shanghai Street area of Kowloon.

There were no casualties, and damage was slight. The fire caused slight damage to the ground floor of No. 141.

Occupants were evacuated, and the Fire Brigade had the blaze extinguished at 7.50 a.m.

The upper floors were not affected. After the fire was put out, the occupants of the two houses went back to their homes to put right the damage caused.

Motor-Cycles Stolen

Two motor-cycles, one parked in Queen's Road East and the other parked outside the Metropolitan Theatre, King's Road, were stolen during the week-end.

It's Changed Beyond Recognition!

"I couldn't recognise anything in Hongkong except the Lyemun Barracks and some old pre-war structures," said Mr A. N. Reynolds, who retired in 1932, and who returned to Hongkong this morning.

Mr Reynolds, who arrived in the ss Corfu with his wife, was thrilled to see his son, Norman (Div. Inspector Reynolds) on board. The Reynolds will stay with him for four months.

He made this comment after having a good look around a city and a harbour he once knew well. For Mr Reynolds was formerly a Chief Detective Inspector here.

Following his retirement Mr Reynolds visited many places. He got different jobs in most. In 1946, he went to Bulawayo, Southern Rhodesia, and worked as a Police Court sheriff for three months. Later he was a clerk and caretaker in a school in Marandellas, Southern Rhodesia.

Two years later Mr Reynolds was employed as a storekeeper in Capetown for one year. Before he went back to England in 1951, Mr Reynolds was a supervisor on a block of flats in Durban.

Plans For New Shamshuipo Building

Plans for a modern building to replace two 30-year-old ones, increasing the floor space eight times, were described by Mr Leslie Wright before a Tenancy Tribunal this morning.

Mr Wright spoke of "impressive comparison" in the increase of floor space from 5,000 to 40,000 square feet, when he applied for exemption of the three-storey buildings, Nos. 125 and 131 Un Chau Street, Shamshuipo.

He said that a modern 12-storey building, costing \$850,000 would be built if the Tribunal, Mr John Way (President), Mr Lo Kung-mok, and Mr H. C. Remedios granted his application.

Mr Wright, instructed by Mr M. K. Lam represented the owners, Mr G. Szeto and Mr K. L. Ho.

Mr F. H. B. Wong, Mr W. I. Cheung and Mr P. L. Lam representing some of the tenants, together with one unrepresented tenant, withdrew their opposition after Mr Wright announced that settlements ranging from \$11,000 to \$25,000 had been reached in their case.

Mr Richard Winkler, instructed by Mr J. B. Slack, on behalf of one opponent, said that he was opposing exemption on the grounds of compensation only. Hearing continues.

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By Air: India, Pakistan, Egypt, Europe, 9 p.m.
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Macao, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.
Laos, 8 a.m.
Thailand, Cambodia, Malaya, Indonesia, 9 a.m.
Ceylon, India, Middle East, Great Britain, Noon.
Australia, New Zealand, Noon.
Philippines, 2 p.m.
Indo-China, France, 1 p.m.
Canada, U.S.A., 8 p.m.
Korea, 6 p.m.
Egypt, Switzerland, Portugal & Italy, 6 p.m.
Thailand, Burma, India, 6 p.m.
Hawaii, 6 p.m.
Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain, Europe, 6 p.m.
Indo-China, Laos, Malaya, Indonesia, N. Borneo, 6 p.m.

By Surface

China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.
Indonesia, Noon.
Thailand, Laos, 10 a.m.
Macao, 6 p.m.
Japan, Canada, 3 p.m.
Venezuela (Parcels) direct, 3 p.m.
Macao, 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.
Laos, 8 a.m.
Thailand, Cambodia, Malaya, Indonesia, 9 a.m.
Ceylon, India, Middle East, Great Britain, Noon.
Australia, New Zealand, Noon.
Philippines, 2 p.m.
Indo-China, France, 1 p.m.
Canada, U.S.A., 8 p.m.
Korea, 6 p.m.
Egypt, Switzerland, Portugal & Italy, 6 p.m.
Thailand, Burma, India, 6 p.m.
Hawaii, 6 p.m.
Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain, Europe, 6 p.m.
Indo-China, Laos, Malaya, Indonesia, N. Borneo, 6 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20

China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.
Laos, 8 a.m.
Thailand, Laos, 10 a.m.
Macao, 6 p.m.
Japan, Canada, 3 p.m.
Venezuela (Parcels) direct, 3 p.m.
Macao, 6 p.m.

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